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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS WHITE HOUSE FOR  
FENDERSON:  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OVIP (MRS. CARTER, ROSALYN)  
SUBJECT: BIOGRAPHIC DATA

1. BIOGRAPHIC DATA ON OFFICIAL WIVES WHO WILL BE  
PRESENT FOR COFFEE IMMEDIATELY AFTER DINNER AT  
VERSAILLES, JANUARY 5:

(A) EVE HAGEDUS BARRE - PHONETIC BAR (WIFE OF  
PRIME MINISTER RAYMOND BARRE). BORN IN HUNGARY AND  
SPEAKING FRENCH WITH A SLIGHT ACCENT, MRS. BARRE IS  
AN ELEGANT AND CULTURED WOMAN, NOW GIVEN CREDIT FOR  
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HAVING COAXED HER HUSBAND AWAY FROM EXCLUSIVELY  
ACADEMIC INTERESTS INTO A MORE ACTIVE LIFE. THE  
BARRES HAVE TWO SONS AND LED A RELATIVELY SIMPLE  
FAMILY LIFE UNTIL HIS APPOINTMENT IN 1976 AS  
PRIME MINISTER.

(B) MONIQUE PEYREFITTE - PHONETIC PAIR-FEET

(WIFE OF MINISTER OF JUSTICE ALAIN PEYREFITTE).  
BORN 1924 IN PARIS, SHE IS AN AUTHOR IN HER OWN  
RIGHT UNDER THE PSEUDONYM CLAUDE ORCIVAL. WORKS  
INCLUDE TWO NOVELS - "YOUR COUNTRY WILL BE MY COUNTRY"  
(1953) AND "THE COMPANION" (1956) - AND AN ACCOUNT  
OF HER TRIP TO THE USSR IN 1959 - "I SAW THE USSR  
LIVE". MARRIED IN 1948, THE PEYREFITTES HAVE FIVE  
CHILDREN.

(C) CLAUDE DE GUIRINGAUD - PHONETIC DE  
GEARING-GO (WIFE OF FOREIGN MINISTER LOUIS DE  
GUIRINGAUD). AGE 47, SHE STUDIED IN CANADA AND  
NEW YORK AND SPEAKS ENGLISH VERY WELL. ALTHOUGH  
MRS. DE GUIRINGAUD HAS NO PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY,  
SHE IS INTERESTED IN ART AND MUSIC. SHE MET  
MRS. CARTER IN NEW YORK LAST SEPTEMBER.

(D) ODILE BOURGES - PHONETIC BOORZH (WIFE  
OF MINISTER OF DEFENSE YVON BOURGES). MRS. BOURGES  
IS KNOWN AS A CHARMING WOMAN WHO ENJOYS ENTERTAIN-  
ING AND DOES SO IN FINE FASHION. SHE IS AN  
OUTSTANDING TENNIS PLAYER. MARRIED IN 1943, THE  
BOURGES HAVE FIVE CHILDREN.

(E) BERNADETTE CHIRAC - PHONETIC SHEERAH  
(WIFE OF MAYOR OF PARIS JACQUES CHIRAC). MARRIED  
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IN 1956, THE CHIRACS HAVE TWO DAUGHTERS. MRS. CHIRAC  
HAS BEEN IN THE SHADOW OF HER DYNAMIC AND WELL-  
KNOWN HUSBAND (WHO WAS PRIME MINISTER BEFORE RAYMOND  
BARRE AND IS NOW LEADER OF THE GAULLIST PARTY),  
BUT HAS OCCASIONALLY REPRESENTED FRANCE ABROAD  
AS IN NOVEMBER 1974 WHEN SHE FLEW TO THE PEOPLE'S  
REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO CELEBRATE THE OPENING OF  
PARIS TO PEKING AIR SERVICE.

(F) YVETTE CAVAILLE - PHONETIC CAH-VAH-YAY  
(WIFE OF SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORTATION  
MARCEL CAVAILLE). A MOTHER ABOVE ALL ELSE (FIVE  
CHILDREN), 49-YEAR-OLD MRS. CAVAILLE HAS TRAVELLED  
IN THE US WITH HER HUSBAND (BUT SPEAKS NO ENGLISH).  
SHE HAS PARTICIPATED ACTIVELY IN LOCAL AFFAIRS IN  
TOULOUSE (SOUTHWEST FRANCE, CITY WHERE CONCORDE  
AIRCRAFT IS BUILT) WHERE MARCEL CAVAILLE IS ALSO  
ASSISTANT MAYOR. HER PRIMARY PUBLIC SERVICE  
INTERESTS ARE CENTERED ON QUESTIONS OF THE AGED  
AND HANDICAPPED.

2. BIOGRAPHIC DATA FOR POMPIDOU CENTER VISIT,

JANUARY 4:

(A) MICHEL D'ORNANO (DOR-NA-NO), MINISTER OF CULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT. AGE 52, MARRIED WITH TWO CHILDREN. AT YOUNG AGE STARTED COSMETIC BUSINESS WITH BROTHER AND TRAVELLED EXTENSIVELY, SPENDING CONSIDERABLE TIME IN U.S. ACTIVE IN REGIONAL X(NORMANDY) ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND COUNCILS. MAYOR OF DEAUVILLE (1962-77), NATIONAL ASSEMBLY DEPUTY FROM CALVADOS DEPARTMENT. NAMED MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND RESEARCH IN 1974, AND THEN IN 1977 MINISTER OF CULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT. SPEAKS ENGLISH.

(B) ANNE DE CONTADES D'ORNANO (WIFE OF MINISTER LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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OF CULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT). MRS. D'ORNANO STUDIED IN NEW YORK (SECONDARY SCHOOL), AS DID HER TWO CHILDREN. SHE SPEAKS FLUENT ENGLISH, HAS SERVED AS MAYOR OF DEAUVILLE SINCE 1977 (AFTER HER HUSBAND), AND IS KNOWN TO BE AN ACCOMPLISHED HOSTESS AND ACTIVE IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

(C) JEAN MILLIER (MEE-LEE-AY), PRESIDENT OF THE GEORGES POMPIDOU NATIONAL CENTER FOR ART AND CULTURE. BORN IN 1917 IN PARIS, MARRIED WITH FOUR CHILDREN. ENGINEERING AND POLYTECHNICAL STUDIES. HELD IMPORTANT POSITIONS (INCLUDING MINISTER) IN TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS IN THE IVORY COAST FROM 1956 TO 1961. FROM 1961 TO 1966 WORKED IN URBAN PLANNING AND ENGINEERING FOR PARIS REGION. ACTIVE IN ORGANIZATIONS AND COUNCILS DEALING WITH URBAN CONCERNS, HIGHWAYS, AND ARCHITECTURE, INCLUDING HIGH-LEVEL GOVERNMENT GROUPS. PRESIDENT OF THE POMPIDOU CENTER SINCE MARCH 1977. SPEAKS SOME ENGLISH.

(D) GILBERT PARIS (PA-REESE), POMPIDOU CENTER DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS. BORN IN 1925, STUDIED POLITICAL SCIENCE. HELD POSITIONS IN THE MINISTRY OF WAR, AND THEN WORKED AS PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR OF A LARGE EUROPEAN PUBLIC RELATIONS FIRM. FROM 1969 TO 1974 WAS ACTIVE IN POMPIDOU GOVERNMENT SERVING AS MRS. POMPIDOU'S PRESS ATTACHE, DEALING WITH PROTOCOL, AND ACCOMPANYING THE POMPIDOUS TO THE U.S. IN 1970. HAS HELD PRESENT POSITION SINCE 1975. HAS WORKED WITH THE CLAUDE POMPIDOU FOUNDATION FOR THE AGED, THE HANDICAPPED, AND FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF VOLUNTEER SERVICES. SPEAKS ENGLISH. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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